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Sir:

In response to the office action mailed 12 September 2005, the applicants elect group I, which includes method claims 1-13.

Please charge any unforeseen fees that may be due to Deposit Account No. 50-1147.

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